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In re A	Applica	tion of:		
		Faulks et al.		
Serial No.		09/849,935	Examiner	E. Marcelo
Filing	Date:	May 4, 2001	Group Art Unit No.	3654
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandra, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed on October 10, 2003. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the rejections in view of the following remarks, as set forth below: